



**Combined Study
and Practice Stays for
Engineers from
Developing Countries
(KOSPIE) with Indian IITs
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- M.Tech. (2-year programme) scholars in their 2nd semester and Integrated or Dual Degree scholars in their 8th semester with minimum 8.5 CGPA are eligible to apply.
- Combined Study and Practice Stays for Engineers from Developing Countries (KOSPIE) with Indian IITs is programme which is exclusively offered to MTech scholars IITs. It is based on a MoU between the IITs and the TU9.
- This scholarship programme funds students from all 23 IITs to work on their master thesis at the German host university, which is one of the TU9 Technical Universities. The TU9 is a consortium of the nine leading technical universities in Germany amongst them RWTH Aachen, TU Berlin, TU Dresden, and others.
- The students first apply online on the DAAD portal. Thereafter they submit a copy of the application summary generate through the portal to the concerned Dean, either Dean Academic Studies or Dean International Relations at your IIT. The IIT thereafter has to nominate the candidates. No direct applications from the scholars will be accepted. The nominated scholars should have completed all the required credits at the home IIT. They should also have a confirmed placement at the host TU in Germany.